

VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

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In the Specification:

Please add the following paragraph at page 1, between the title and the first line of text as follows:

CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

The present application claims priority from European Patent Application No. 01302113.4, filed March 8, 2001.

SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

Before the paragraph beginning at line 9 of page 1 insert the following:

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION

Before the paragraph beginning at line 31 of page 2 insert the following:

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWING

Before the paragraph beginning at line 7 of page 3 insert the following:

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION

In the Claims:

Claim 4 has been amended as follows:

4. (amended) A valve system according to claim 1 ~~any of the preceding~~
~~claims~~, wherein the means for controlling venting of the cavity is provided by a diaphragm
valve.

Claim 5 has been amended as follows:

5. (amended) A valve system according to claim 1 ~~any of the preceding~~
~~claims~~, wherein the first valve member comprises two parts.

Claim 6 has been amended as follows:

6. (amended) A valve system according to claim 1 ~~any of the preceding~~
~~claims~~, wherein the second valve member comprises a ball valve.

Claim 7 has been amended as follows:

7. (amended) A valve system according to claim 1 ~~any of the preceding~~
~~claims~~, wherein the second valve member is located within the first valve member.

Claim 8 has been amended as follows:

8. (amended) A valve system according to claim 1 ~~any of the preceding~~
~~claims~~, further comprising seals to maintain the integrity of the cavity.

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